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VIA AIR MAIL

Miss Ila Thiel
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Oct. 11, 1954

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You say you going to retire from school soon well when you retire I'll be ready to get out of the army. So hurry up and retire. o/k?

III

I haven't been doing much of anything. I'll ~~wait~~ wait till I get out of the army before I start work hard.

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~~11~~

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time.

Well honey ~~and~~ I can't think
of much more to write about now.
So I will close for now. Be good
and take care of yourself

Love
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TRANSCRIPT

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